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Getting some air

Local cottager Graham Budd launches from Head Lake leaving a trail of water behind him during the Ski for MS - Round 2 event on Saturday. Budd was one of 65 competitors who braved the unseasonably cold temperatures that dipped into the single digits. More photos are on page 12.

A few beer with your groceries?

Two Highlands grocery stores
get permission to sell alcohol

KENNETH JACKSON

Staff Reporter

For the first time, this past weekend alcohol bought from two local grocery stores wasn't .5 per cent.

Eagle Lake Foodtown and West Guilford Shopping Centre both started selling a wide selection of beer, wine and spirits.

"We are opened as an agency store through the LCBO," said Bill Burden, owner of West Guilford Shopping Centre.

The alcohol costs the same as it would in regular beer stores and LCBO outlets, he said.

"It just gives people the convenience of not having to go into town," he said. "Plus, it's going to be a blessing for the small store owners, because it will give us a chance to compete with the bigger stores."

Allan Bagg, owner of Eagle Lake Foodtown, echoed Burden's praise of the agency stores.

"It was a great weekend. Everyone was happy with it," he said. "Every comment was positive from the customers."

One customer agreed with Bagg.

"It's great. It will come in handy when it's required," said David Sovereign of Eagle Lake. "It will save a trip into town and it's good for Eagle Lake."

Bagg said "We would have been better off with another week [to get prepared], because we didn't have our beer cooler ready so we had to server warm beer. Our customers didn't seem to mind."

Burden said the same rules apply as they do in all

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Province pays tribute to HHSS science students

KENNETH JACKSON

Staff Reporter

After three years of elbow grease and determination, 39 students who were involved in the Drag River Project were honoured Wednesday by the Ontario government for their hard work and dedication.

The HHSS students were 39 of 440 young people honoured from 35 communities across the province through the Ontario Heritage Foundations — Young Heritage Leaders program. The foundation is a non-profit agency of the Ontario government, dedicated to preserving, promoting and protecting

Ontario Heritage.

On hand for the special evening at the Northern Lights Pavilion were community members, families, the reeve of Dysart et al, Murray Fearrey and local MPP Chris Hodgson.

Hodgson had nothing but praise for the young leaders.

"I just want to say how proud

I am of the young people of our community, and on behalf of the people of our riding we owe a great deal of gratitude to them," the HHSS alumni said to a crowd of about 100. "It's not very often that a community gets to thank its young people..."

"I think we have a lot to be proud of in our community. It's

a great place to grow up and a great a place to live."

He also said how significant the award is.

"Only 440 young people are recognized around the province," he said. "They go through an application process and it's

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news and events worth noting

Echo's optimism snowed on

MAY 14: IT MAY BE ODD to have snow on May 14, but it's not entirely uncommon. Last Tuesday, as the fresh blanket of snow started to melt over the Highlands, Haliburton's Betty Austin called *The Echo*. Forty-six years ago, she and Murray Austin were married and two days later, she remembers, it snowed. Despite the chilly start to their marriage, it thrived and so will our optimism that we will indeed be able to enjoy summer soon.

May 20: Alas, even *The Echo's* opti-

mism took a beating on the May long weekend. As if it wasn't enough that it snowed on Tuesday, it also snowed on Sunday and Monday – not much, but the few flakes flying around were just enough to convince even the most optimistic among us that summer will never, ever come. On Friday night the highways were eerily quiet – was it a lack of traffic or just the fact that it was so cold that windows were closed and furnaces were going and we couldn't hear the normal long weekend traffic roar? Luckily there was good news as a result of all this chilly weather – it was too cold outside even for the blackflies, who wisely decided to stay home and snuggle up next to their blackfly fireplaces. It's great when they decide not to eat out, isn't it?

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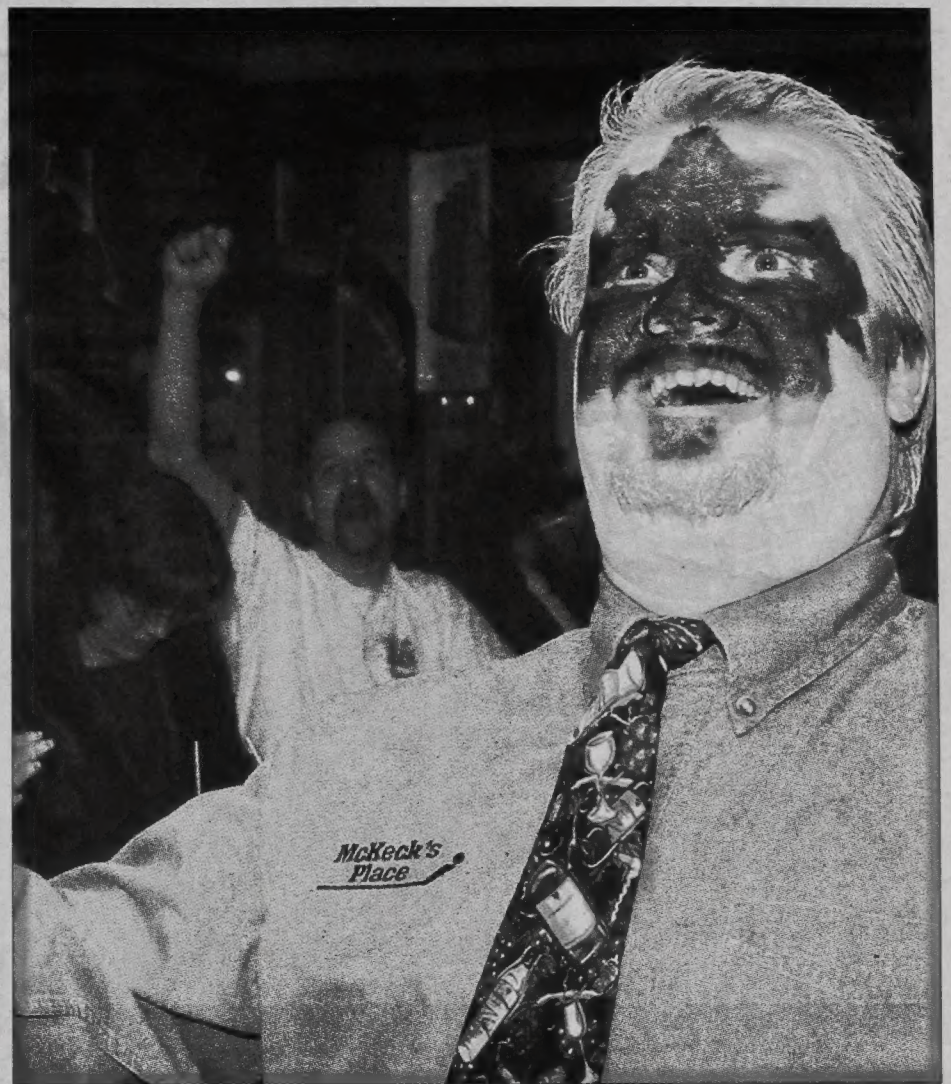
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Safeguards pump up costs at Dysart's sewage plant

CATHY OLLIFFE

Staff Reporter

Water services may be costing Dysart et al up to \$100,000 this year if a capital budget of \$62,500 plus other expenses is accepted.

At a recent council meeting, Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey asked Jeff Trudeau, project engineer with American Water Services, if some of the costs on the budget can be deferred.

"Do you shop around for the best prices? This is a high trust level you're asking of us," says Fearrey.

Trudeau says they do get the best price they can.

One of the expenses his company is recommending is a dedicated data-only phone line at a cost of \$16,000, that Bell will 99% guarantee.

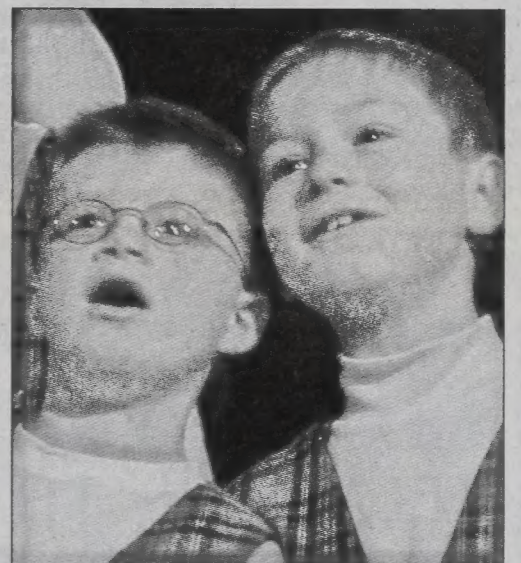
Trudeau says the new line should stop alarms from the pumping stations going off several times a night, aggravating people who live nearby.

The false alarms are in direct contrast to what happened last December 17 when the pumping station on Kashaga Drive malfunctioned, the alarms failed to go off and 68,000 litres of raw sewage pumped into Lake Kashagawigamog. Two months later, a water quality consultant announced the lake had recovered fully from the spill. Regardless, members of the Lake Kashagawigamog Organization had planned on doing their own water quality tests to ensure the lake is safe to swim in. Spill or no spill, no one recommends drinking lake water unless it's boiled.

Since the spill, Dysart and American Water Services have been trying to figure out what happened and how to prevent it from ever happening again. Apparently several components had problems all at once, including phone lines, alarms, hydro lines and actual sewage system equipment. Over the winter many changes have been made to correct these problems but false alarms continue to plague the neighbourhood.

Trudeau also says his company will be making a recommendation this week about how to control the odour problems and whether or not there is a serious problem with the phase converter that may be the cause of power tripping out at Station Three.

The sewer system has been a big concern for Dysart and one of the main topics of conversation at council meetings all winter long. Homeowners on the north shore of Lake Kashagawigamog have been complaining for some time about nasty smells emanating from the system and American Water Services representatives have faced those people, on more than one occasion, to explain what they've been doing about it. Residents who have been living with the stink will be anxious to hear what recommendations the company makes.



Spring sing

On Mother's Day, the Haliburton County Children's Choir and Chamber Choir took the audience at the Northern Lights Pavilion on a tour across Canada through song. The choir's range has steadily improved over the past year as they tackle increasingly difficult pieces under the direction of Lorelyn Morgan and Lauren McInnes. Photos by Martha Perkins

National healthcare protest has local voice

CATHY OLLIFFE

Staff Reporter

Michele Landsberg wasn't in Haliburton last week but her presence sure was felt.

The outspoken *Toronto Star* columnist was the inspiration that drove two local women to take to the streets on National Medicare Day, last Wednesday, in order to talk to people about the importance of publicly-funded healthcare.

Ann Maher and Marilyn Mighton were so inspired by three columns Landsberg wrote in April that they both decided, separately, to try and do something for the subject of her column, the Ontario Health Coalition. The coalition is part of a national campaign to save Canada's healthcare system and influence Roy Romanow, the politician heading up the Commission on the Future of Health Care in Canada. Landsberg wants people to send a letter to the Romanow or Prime Minister Jean Chretien, or fill out a questionnaire on the coalition's website, anything to convince Romanow and the powers that be that Canadians don't want a privatized healthcare system.

Maher and Mighton were so impressed with Landsberg's columns that they phoned the coalition and were sent information packages and copies of a petition the coalition is preparing. After starting to spread the word independently, the two acquaintances discovered they were both on the same mission. So they pooled their resources and started a local campaign, together.

"We have brought it to the town of Haliburton," Mighton said.

Their main focus has been to spread petitions around the community, getting as many people as possible to sign. They are available at Henwood's Variety, at both drug stores in Haliburton, at the doctors' offices and at the hospital.

So far, they've had a few hundred people sign the petitions. They're hoping for a lot more by the time they pick them up at the end of the month and then mail them off to Romanow's commission.

To further their cause, they created a display they take to various, unrelated meetings they attend (both are involved in several community organizations) and, on National Medicare Day, they hit Haliburton's main drag to canvass peo-

ple live, in person. Response to their campaign was almost completely positive.

"People want to read the petition carefully but, once they've read it, they find out what it's about and gladly sign it," Maher said.

As much as healthcare is in the news, Mighton is convinced most people are unaware of a move to privatize the healthcare system and get rid of the oh-so-Canadian system most of us take for granted. "People are unaware of what's happening," she said. "When they find out, most people sign the petition, gladly. But I think they feel powerless."

Maher said people shouldn't feel powerless.

"I think it's so important that people have a say. It can make a difference," she said.

Not that the system is perfect. "Most people are admitting things need to change a bit," Mighton said. "But they still say they would like to see a publicly-funded healthcare system."

Anyone who wants to join in their campaign can call Mighton at 457-9560 or Maher at 457-9604.

New agency stores improve services: LCBO

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booze-selling establishments.

"Every cashier has to be 18 years old, we can't sell to people who look to be intoxicated and if we do the LCBO will revoke our contract."

In October 2001, Consumer and Business Services Minister Norm Sterling unveiled 35 proposed communities to host new "LCBO agency stores."

At the Ontario government's request, the crown-owned LCBO is expanding the LCBO agency system as part of an effort to improve customer service in underserved rural communities and tourist areas, he said in a press release.

"With our go-ahead to offer agencies through existing retailers in smaller markets, we'll improve service in rural downtowns for residents and visitors

alike, while preserving the LCBO's social responsibility standards," said Chris Layton, spokesperson for the LCBO.

He also said while service access is the program's first goal, the economic benefits are also expected to be positive. With increased service, rural consumers have another reason to stay in their region to shop with local retailers.

"The LCBO's experience with agency stores has proven that this model can be a safe, reliable and cost-effective way to deliver service to remote or rural communities," he said.

There are presently over 100 agency stores across Ontario, with 80 more in the works.

The agency store hours for the shopping centre are the same as the regular store hours except Sunday when the agency store is closed.

Alliance elects Dunn to national council

Former Canadian Alliance candidate Pat Dunn has been elected to the Alliance's National Council.

The role of the National Council, among other things, is to direct the affairs of the party between conventions and be the trustee of the party's principles, policies and constitution. The National Council is comprised of 31 members, with three elected from each province and one from the Territories.

Dunn, who was the Haliburton-Victoria-Brock Reform candidate in the 1997 election and the Alliance candidate

in the 2000 election, said "My priority will be on building a strong party organization by ensuring there is close and ongoing consultation with the riding associations. Their involvement and insight is critical to the Alliance's future electoral success, particularly here in Ontario."

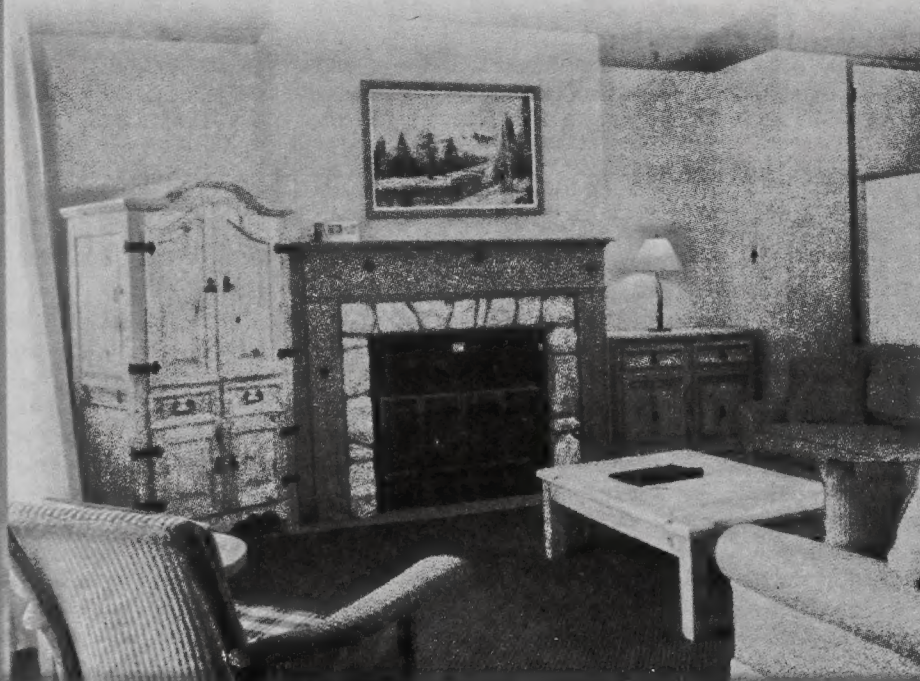
"Pat has the ability, drive and focus to serve the Canadian Alliance membership as a National Councillor. He will be a strong voice of the membership and representative of their views," said local riding association president Mark Wood.



KENNETH JACKSON/ECHO

There is a new aisle in the West Guilford Shopping Centre, but it doesn't stock bread or meat. The shopping centre opened the first LCBO agency store in the Haliburton County. "Wally" walks out with a 12 pack of Canadian from the shopping centre on the weekend.

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Students protest difficulties of new curriculum

MARTHA PERKINS

Editor

The government's switch to a four-year high school education should be implemented with today's primary students, not today's high school students, say three of the students who spent Wednesday protesting the new curriculum.

"We don't believe it's fair," said Casse Stovin who was standing in front of V & S on Wednesday afternoon with fellow Grade 11 students Shannon McKechnie and Alyssa Belcher. "The workload is twice as hard, there aren't enough Education Assistants and we have to do community service."

"We got this thrown at us in Grade 9," says Alyssa. "I'm doing work students in OAC are doing."

"They should help us adapt, not just throw it all at us."

"The work is so much more advanced," says Casse. "They wonder why students are getting lower marks. The work is twice as hard."

Shannon says the students

also don't like being forced to do 40 hours of community service before they graduate in order to get their diploma. "It's making us feel like criminals," she says.

When asked why, she said "community service is something criminals do... I would volunteer if I wasn't forced to."

All three young women stress that the protest has nothing to do with the administration at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

"Mr. [Gary] Brohman is a great principal," Shannon says. "We wouldn't be able to make it through the curriculum if it wasn't for him."

"He cares about every student," Casse says.

Alyssa adds, "he understands. He gives us another chance and most kids take it and are never back in his office again."

Brohman, however, played hardball with the students when he heard of the proposed province-wide walk-out.

On Tuesday, Brohman made two announcements on the P.A. system. He told students that if

they wanted to take part in the protest, they first had to get written permission from a parent or guardian. Also, since they weren't at school, they wouldn't be able to get the school bus home.

"I told them that protests don't work," he said in an interview. He encouraged them to find other ways of getting the message across such as writing to their MPP or asking the student council to write a letter. "Running up town is not the answer, or standing on a busy

highway [in front of the high school] is not the answer."

By Wednesday morning, only 15 students had permission from their parents. Another 10 joined them. Brohman notes there are 750 kids at HHSS so 25 out of 750 is not a groundswell of support for the protest.

On Wednesday, Brohman and Vice-principal Irv Sternberg went uptown to find the protesters. "We found they were sitting on a bench enjoying the sun or playing hackey sack... Most are going [on the protest]

and not knowing why."

(Shannon, Casse and Alyssa were carrying a sign and eliciting signatures for a petition.)

Brohman says that since the changes to curriculum to accommodate the switch to a four-year high school program were introduced three years ago, "the horse is out of the barn" and it's too late to ask for the process to be stopped. And, he said, the curriculum wouldn't be as hard if students stayed in class instead of spending the day protesting.



MARTHA PERKINS/ECHO

Grade 11 students Casse Stovin, Alyssa Belcher and Shannon McKechnie asked people to sign their petition protesting the change to the four-year curriculum.



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Thank goodness for volunteers

DISCLOSURE OF BIAS: Let it be said that this writer spent some of her high school years cleaning what seemed to be every spoke of every wheelchair at Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay as one of her volunteer duties as a candy striper. She also volunteered as a Brownie leader and helped her mother out at the monthly bingo games at the nursing home. Lest it be thought these altruistic acts prepared her for a lifetime of do-goodism, however, it must be acknowledged she hasn't volunteered for anything since then.

Haliburton Highlands Secondary School students have a point when they question how being forced to contribute 40 hours of volunteer service during their high school career can be called volunteering. But

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editorial

— martha perkins

they're wrong to sneer at the concept of community service. Call it what you will, helping others is not only good for the community, but it is also good for their future career prospects.

Under a new initiative, high school students cannot get their diploma unless they have volunteered for 40

hours over their four years at school. That's 10 hours a year, or three minutes a day throughout the school year. It's not a heck of a lot to ask — especially in an area where kids are always complaining that they're bored.

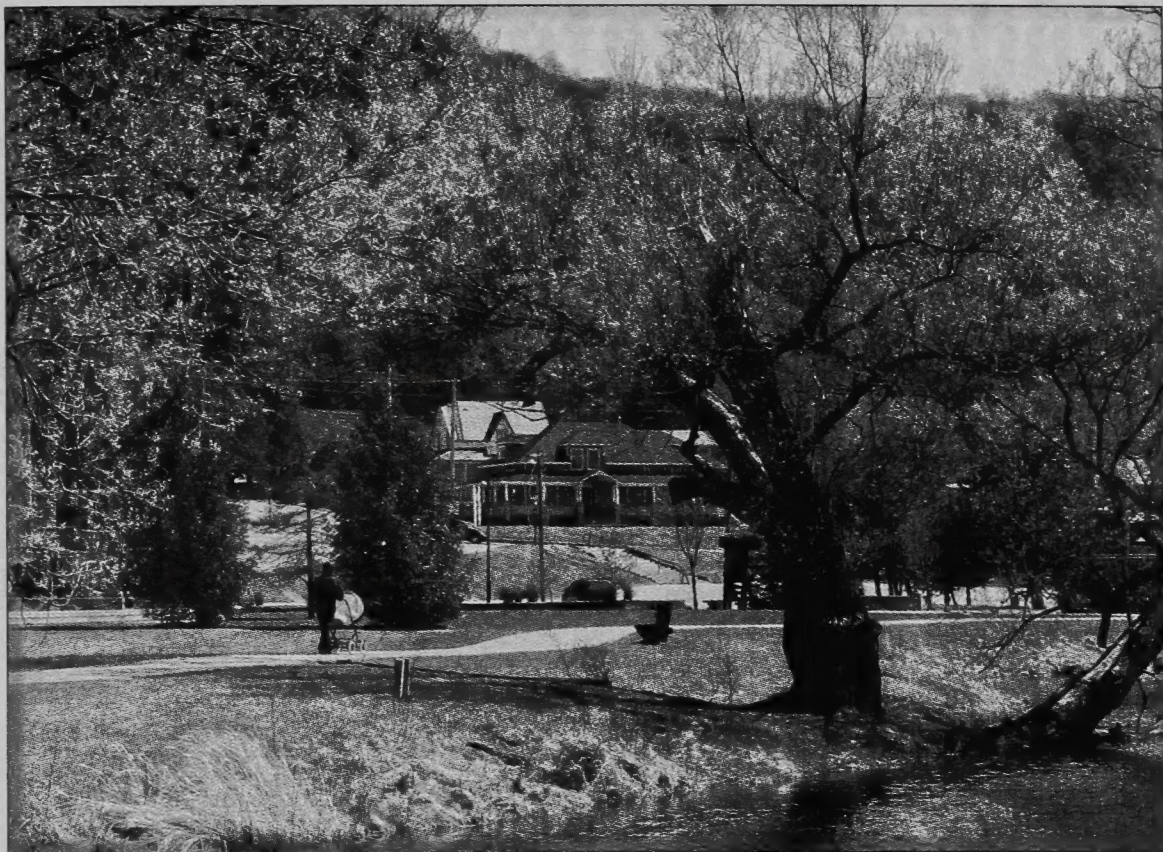
Society could not thrive without volunteers. They take existing services and make them better. They fill gaps in the services government is able to provide. They enhance the quality of life for all generations.

A few decades ago, when most mothers stayed at home, these women performed the bulk of volunteer work. Today, with most women working, not only has society lost an invaluable service, but children are no longer as exposed to the practice of reaching out and helping others for no financial gain. Of course, you only have to look around Haliburton County to see exceptions to this rule. There are working mothers — and fathers — who miraculously manage to fit one more responsibility into their busy lives, and teenagers who, just because they want to, gladly volunteer their time whether they're asked to or not.

It's not a horrible thing to ask young people to help out. Whether or not they're able to carry on as a volunteer during those hectic years between youth and retirement, the idea has nonetheless been planted in their minds. As well, the volunteer work can be invaluable on their resume. Young people often have difficulty getting their first jobs because they have no experience. Volunteering gives them that experience.

The experience of a local teenager illustrates that it may have financial rewards as well. This September, 18-year-old Megan Woodman will begin her studies at Georgian College in Barrie. Her tuition, books and much of her rent will be paid for by the Garfield Weston Merit Scholarship. To get this scholarship, Megan had to undergo a two-day interview process in Toronto, during which time teenagers from across the country were flown in at the scholarship fund's expense to explain why they too deserved the financial help. While maintaining good marks was important, the selection committee was more interested in what the student had done to make their community a better place. Had they volunteered, got involved with school life, learned self-confidence by mastering new skills? Niceness mattered.

Back in Grade 9, when Megan started signing up for leadership activities, she had no idea the scholarship even existed. She's grateful today, however, that her past has caught up with her. How many other students wish they could be saying the same thing?



Taking baby for a stroll in Head Lake park.

photo by Darren Lum/Echo

Newcomers, new ideas

"A BIG GULF BETWEEN the old and new in Haliburton" was an observation made by Omar Walmsley in a recent article in *The Echo*. "There are third generation Haliburtonians here," he continued, "and I see how we, as newcomers, disturb some of the longtime residents."

This is a problem not unique to the Highlands. It is a scenario played out anywhere at any time when a seemingly significant homogeneous group move into a settled area and give the impression that they have an agenda particular to their needs.

I vaguely recall, as a kid listening to dinner table discussions, hearing of tensions developing between the long-time residents and the growing influx of newcomers into our community. The locale, a metropolitan area, Toronto; the influx, from another country, the U.S.A. These were managers of newly-acquired Canadian industries moving in with their families. They were from many diverse locales but they did seem to project a single point of view when it came to our education system. Their belief was that it should reflect their values. They were vocal in their discontent. That may have been the coalescing issue but in fact it had more to do with the seeming insensitivity of the newcomers to the status quo and their ability, because of their numbers, to effect change. That's just one example of a problem endemic in any mobile society.

Up to the present our Highlands seems to be integrating the influx if not seamlessly at least tolerably. Granted most of the newcomers are of a single category — they come here post working years and have a particular perspective based on their experiences. This invasion shows every sign of continuing. Our

recent past indicates that with effort on both sides it can be beneficial.

Recently, two articles in our local weekly newspapers describe both parts of this community at work benefitting us all. One article told of the Storm hockey league's first successful year of operation. The dreams of a few had finally, through much hard work and years of plodding and prodding, resulted in this reality. I remember a conversation I had with Wade MacInnes several years ago when

he spoke of this goal and the considerable obstacles that needed to be surmounted. It did not take outsiders to have either the vision or the determination to bring it to fruition. Wade is a Highlander who, with his foresight and that of several others, brought this into being. The other article described the work of relative newcomers, June and Ross Partridge, who brought us their vision and their dedication and, with others, created a mental health support system which is even now becoming the envy

of other parts of our province.

Even twenty or so years ago some residents, perhaps unknowingly, were setting up a viable model. They established an example where the two groups could combine to enrich our community for years to come. Marilyn Stouffer, long-time resident, dreamed of the possibility of bringing professional musicians to our area for our enjoyment. Newcomer at that time, Ruth Still, worked with her and others to make that dream into a lasting reality. We still benefit from both that foresight and their combined efforts.

Harmonious interaction between the two "solitudes," as Walmsley defines them, will continue to be most effective when long time residents work to accommodate and newcomers make constant efforts to integrate.



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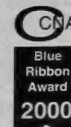
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Read my lips

AT A RECENT LIBRARY BOOK SALE I had the good fortune to unearth a literary gem entitled "Modern Ventriloquism." I must say that this book has changed my life, although, if you were here, you'd probably be fooled into thinking that it was my pencil sharpener that was saying those very same words. That's because even with a short bit of practice, I've become incredibly proficient at throwing my voice.

Envious? Who wouldn't be?

Show me a person who has never secretly wished to be a master of the age old art of ventriloquism and I'll show you a person born without the slightest hint of guile and delinquency. Sadly, I've heard rumours that there are people such as this in our otherwise fine community. Unfortunately, all we can do is whisper a silent prayer for them. Yet wouldn't it be so much better if we could do this without moving our lips?

tales from



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Such is the magic of ventriloquism. It allows a person to speak his or her mind without taking any responsibility for what is said. I know this is getting dangerously close to the realm of federal politics, but there are some good points, too.

For example, just delving into that incredible book revived those childhood dreams of yesteryear, although, if we were to get technical, I'm not exactly sure that December 2001 qualifies as yesteryear. No matter. I was quickly reminded of my lifelong ambition to utter corny

witticisms through the gaping mouth of a dummy. Strangely, when I confessed this fantasy to my wife, she shook her head, smiled and insisted that I had achieved that goal long ago. She's thinking of someone else or I'm forgetting some incredibly important life experience, because as far as I can recall, I've never made an attempt at ventriloquism until yesterday.

But all that is changing. Even as you read this, I'm rapidly becoming a voice throwing fool – a regular authority on the lost art of looking stupid while appearing to say nothing. True, I've had more practice than most, thanks to this column but, even so, I'm practically a natural.

I can honestly say that I haven't been so happy since I conquered the challenges of mime. And, as you might well imagine, ventriloquism is perhaps an even more useful form of communication for a married couple. This is especially true for me. That's mostly because my wife never got the hang of interpreting mime. It was horrible; she couldn't tell the difference between my running against the wind and my cross-country skiing. This alone very nearly ruined our marriage. One day I tried to tell her that I wanted some winter exercise and she mistakenly thought that I called her a windbag. Fiascos such as this almost made me hang up my striped shirt and beret for good.

But ventriloquism, when done correctly is absolutely safe. In fact, I'm already learning that a whole lot of needless arguments can be avoided if, for instance, you make the dog say whatever unpleasant statement needs to be said. Hey, they're already in the doghouse. What's another month or two? And, if the mutts aren't around, the budgie is always good for breaking bad news or getting smart-mouthed. What would you expect from someone who has spent their entire life behind bars?

Bear in mind that you'll never be able to fool anyone into believing anything you say if your lips move. (Yet another startling parallel to politics.) That's why the book says it's so important to practice in front of a mirror. Naturally, I'm more than just a little uncomfortable with this because having a conversation with yourself in the mirror looks like the height of vanity. Besides, I want the family to be surprised when the chicken screams bloody murder at dinner tonight. No sir, a little secrecy is in order.

I've solved this problem by practicing with the tiny mirror of my compass when no one is around. And, aside from that one time when my daughter watched me for a while and then realized that I wasn't speaking to anyone on the phone, things have worked out just fine. I suppose, being the artsy type, she has even found a new respect for me. How else would you explain the fact that she now addresses me in serene, agreeable tones and insists on cutting my meat at dinner?

Yes, with the way things are progressing, I imagine I'll soon not only be the talk of the town, but the park and trees too. Then again, when you are a ventriloquist, all this goes without saying.



Pic of the Past

For the Greply family of Toronto, summer just wouldn't have been summer without the annual trek to Lakeview Lodge on Soyers Lake. This week's Pic of the Past shows a beautiful Betty Greply at the lodge with her daughter Lynda and nephew Gary Pearsall playing on the fence behind her. The Greplys eventually bought a cottage here and Lynda and her husband, Lorne Campbell, raised their children, Kate and Shane, on the shores of the lake. On May 27, Betty Greply will be celebrating her 85th birthday. Our thanks to Lynda Campbell for sharing the photo with us.

letters to the editor

HCSA's can of worms opened

To the Editor:

That HCSA not all roses finally hits the press: For years now, the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association has been struggling to find new volunteers to help run the day-to-day operations of the club. Every year, key directors leave with a few new directors coming on board. In the past I have never felt it was correct to voice the club opinions through the media, but now that the can has been opened!!!

Re: The landowner issue. For years now the HCSA has lobbied to the Ontario government and the Ontario Federation of

Snowmobile Clubs to come up with some type of compensation for those private landowners who have recreation trails on their properties. Instead, the OFSC and the MTO introduce mandatory permits thinking that there were up to 50% of licensed snowmobiles in Ontario riding OFSC trails without a permit. In doing this, these two groups removed any negotiation power the clubs had with their landowners.

Did the OFSC total membership increase by 5%, therefore increasing the amount of funds given to the clubs? In the 00/02 season a total of 122,000 permits

were sold; in the 01/02 season only a 111,000 permits were sold. You do the math!!! Point being, not only did the OFSC clubs lose their negotiation power with their landowners, they also lost almost 10% of their revenue from permit sales. And who has to deal with these problems? Once again, the very small handful of dedicated directors of the HCSA and other member clubs.

I find it very troubling to read those three business owners from the Carnarvon area, who were not directors of the HCSA, would spend the time to write a

See **Trio** page 14

Boonieville by Charlie Teljeur



Senior HHSS Hawk women tripped up on home pitch

Juniors end season with split on home pitch double-header

DARREN LUM

Staff Reporter

On May 15 there was a tale of two halves for the lady Hawks' senior soccer team. It was the best of times in the first and the worst of times in the second.

Fatigue was a contributing factor for the senior women's loss to LCVI, 1-2, in their first game of their double-header at home last week. After the home side finished a spirited first-half, they came away with a 1-nil lead, but by the second things were turned upside down. The team couldn't sustain the same energy level.

Captain Meredith Brown, who was sidelined momentarily with an ankle injury in the second half, says LCVI turned it up in the second and the Hawks were just unable to match the aggression.

Hawk keeper Jess Keetch held her own, stopping shots in close and picked up most loose balls lying around her crease. Hawk defenders were up to task early on. They swarmed LCVI attackers who came close to the net and suppressed numerous barrages. However, the forwards kept coming and nothing was stopping them. The Hawk defenders were eventually worn down.

LCVI forwards soon found open lanes and easy looks at Keetch, who was beaten for the first time when a Spartan forward broke through the Hawk defensive wall and struck for the equalizer with a low shot to the right.

The Spartans continued to press the tired Hawks' until the eventual go-ahead goal to take the 2-1 win. Their pressure continued until the final minutes of the game when the Hawks mounted a last push for the equalizer. A glimmer of hope for the Hawk faithful showed itself nearing injury time

when there was a momentary lapse by the LCVI keeper. It nearly resulted in a goal for the home team. A loose ball mishandled by the keeper lay 20 feet from the open LCVI net, but none of the Hawk players could get there. LCVI defenders came back in time to kick the ball out of bounds.

In the first, the Hawks kept the LCVI forwards offside and off the score sheet. When the LCVI forwards did penetrate, Keetch stood tall.

Everything went right for the Hawks in the first. Offensive Hawk attacks created by the active mid-fielders caused the LCVI defenders fits in their own zone. This confusion led to concentration lapses by the Lindsay keeper and even resulted in a goal for Ashleigh Packer who was rewarded for just taking a shot. Nearly 40 feet out, just as a defender came across, Packer let go a low shot that dribbled through the LCVI keeper's hands. Even though the Hawks kept the pressure up, they were unable to get the insurance marker. It proved to lift the LCVI spirits.

The second game of the double header didn't prove anymore fruitful as the Fenelon Falls squad squeaked out a 1-nil victory.

Junior action

The Junior Hawks' women's soccer team finished out their season with a doubleheader split at home. Hawk forward Nicole Manary led the way striking the back of the twine twice to lead her team over LCVI, 2-nil. Hawk keeper Kristen Stackhouse anchored the back field and earned a shutout.

Like their older counterparts, the Hawks lost their second game to the tune of 1-4 against the Fenelon Falls Falcons. Manary scored the lone marker for the Hawks and will be looked to for next year's soccer program.



HHSS track and field Keegan Mackenzie dashes after a handoff during the 4x100m relay.

On pg. 11 for more pictures and results.



Seniors lost both games of the day last week at HHSS 1-2 to LCVI and nil-1. above: Vanessa Eastmure is tripped up by an LCVI defender in first game. below: Jenna Benoit collides with an LCVI defender attempting to head a ball. Bottom: Junior women celebrate a 2-nil victory over LCVI, but lost the second game 1-4 to Fenelon Falls.

Photos by Darren Lum



Running on youth's passion

KENNETH JACKSON

Staff Reporter

Gooderham students are on track for this Saturday's elementary school track and field meet sponsored by the Haliburton Legion.

Teacher Blake Paton gets the students out every spring to jog and do sprinting drills so they can be prepared for the annual event.

The students run every day for 20 minutes.

"We use it mainly for preparation... They have a number of events that they need to prepare for depending what age they are," says Paton.

For example, Grades 1 to 3 run the 50, 100, 200 and 400 m races while the students in Grades 4, 5 and 6 would also do shot put and ball throw.

"They throw a ball, because we can't trust them with a javelin," he says.

He says the training they receive in the elementary level is their development for the next level.

"Most kids at the high school level come from this level. This is where they develop," he says.

In the past years Paton says a couple of cross-country champions have come Gooderham.

"We only have 42 students in the whole school and I have 10 to 15 running every day."

He says his chances of another champion are slim because the school's most promising athlete, Jesse Stoughton, is going to a hockey tournament.



Gooderham Elementary School students get in some running in preparation for the upcoming County Track and Field meet this Saturday.

Teacher Blake Paton has the students running everyday for 20 minutes.

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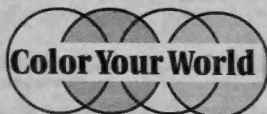
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Above: Keegan MacKenzie and Cassie Hie launch from the starting blocks in the 100m dash.
Left: Shane Baumbour leans back and sends his javelin skywards.
Right: Matt Mickie rises to the occasion in long-jump.
Next page bottom: Shane Lowes reaches for height in the pole-vault.
Top-right: Will Arnup receives the baton in the 4x100m.



Photos by Martha Perkins

HHSS running down track's success

About 50 Haliburton Highlands Secondary School students will be advancing to the COSSA track and field championship in Belleville this Thursday after an impressive team effort at last week's Kawartha championships in Cobourg. The day got off to a chilly and wet start, but by the end of the meet, several Highlands athletes garnered top-place finishes, boding well for the next level of competition. The top eight finishers in each category advance to COSSA.

HHSS top eight results are as follows:

- 100 metres
Junior Girls: Jodi Curry, 3rd, 15.0
Senior Girls: Keegan MacKenzie, 2nd, 14.8; Cassie Hie, 4th, 15.8; Valerie Sutcliffe, 7th, 16.7
Junior Boys: Kevin Walker, 8th, 12.7
Senior Boys: Will Arnup, 2nd, 11.9
- 200 metres
Junior Girls: Jodi Curri, 5th, 32.2
Junior Boys: Chris Jung, 3rd, 26; Justin Walker, 4th, 26; Dylan Powers, 5th, 26.7
Senior Boys: Will Arnup, 2nd, 24.7
- 400 metres
Senior Girls: Vanessa Davis, 3rd
Junior Boys: Ross Gerry, 6th, 57.8; Tom Abel, 8th, 1:00.2
Senior Boys: Kyle Spencer, 5th, 1:00.4
- 800 metres
Senior Girls: Vanessa Davis, 4th, 3:06.9
Midget Boys: Sean Keanney, 2nd, 2:20.2
Junior Boys: Shawn Heming, 8th, 2:27.7
Senior Boys: Alex Ambridge, 4th, 2:19
- 1500 metres
Midget Boys: Sean Keanney, 1st, 4:45.6
3000 metres
Midget Boys: Sean Keanney, 1st, 10:17.9;
- Hurdles
Midget Girls: Belinda Howitt, 8th, 17.5
Junior Girls: Jodi Carri, 3rd, 15.3
Senior Girls: Jessica Swann, 1st, 18.6; Cindy Malloy, 3rd, 20.4; Caitlin

See Senior girls page 12

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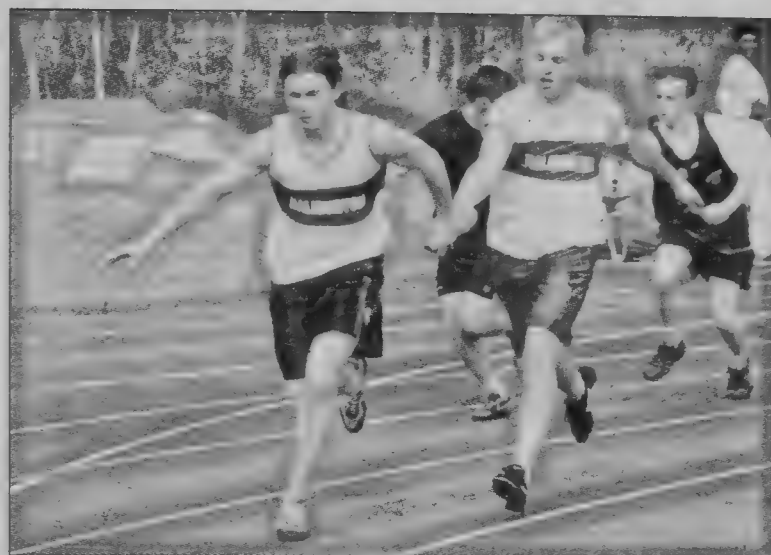
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Senior girls and Matt Brown fly to victory

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Hewson, 25.7
 Midget Boys: Wayne Shelly, 1st, 18.6
 Junior Boys: Travis Bain, 3rd, 18.5; Gavin Swan, 4th, 19.1
 Senior Boys: Matt Brown, 1st, 23.5; Shea Horning, 2nd, 20.9
 300/400 metre Hurdles
 Senior Girls: Cindy Malloy, 3rd, 1:29.0; Vanessa Davis, 4th, 1:32.8
 Junior Boys: Travis Bain, 2nd, 44.2; Shawn Heming, 5th, 46.7
 Triple Jump
 Senior Girls: Caley Sisson, 7th, 8.16
 Junior Boys: Gavin Swan, 3rd, 11.27
 Senior Boys: Shane Lowes, 3rd, 11.27, Brad Mickle, 5th, 10.48
 Long Jump
 Midget Girls: Belinda Hewitt, 4th, 3.45; Michelle Christian, 7th, 2.83
 Senior Girls: Jessica Swan, 5th, 3.62
 Junior Boys: Kevin Walker, 8th, 4.59
 Senior Boys: Will Arnup, 2nd, N/A, Shane Lowes, 6th, N/A; Brad Mickle, 8th, N/A
 Javelin
 Midget Girls: Kate Dawson, 2nd, 23.55; Nicole Manary, 3rd, 22.54
 Junior Girls: Debbie Ray, 3rd, 22.70; Kira Fry, 6th, 18.60; Shona Malloy, 8th, 15.33
 Senior Girls: Liane Dron, 2nd, 24.22; Cassie Hie, 3rd, 23.36;
 Junior Boys: Shane Baumbour, 2nd, 38.61
 Senior Boys: Lance Aggett, 7th, 27.40
 High Jump
 Midget Girls: Kate Dawson, 2nd, 1.40
 Junior Girls: Janet Shim, 5th, N/A
 Midget Boys: Matt Moore, 2nd, 1.60
 4x100
 Midget Girls: 2nd, 58.4
 Junior Girls: 4th, 1.04.8
 Senior Girls: A, 1st, 57.8; B, 5th, 60.0
 Junior Boys, A, 2nd, 47.6; B, 6th, 50.8
 Senior Boys, 2nd, 49.9
 4x400
 Open Girls: 5th, 5:17.2
 Open Boys: 5th, 4:07.8; 6th, 4:08.7
 Open Boys: Alex Ambridge, 1st, 7:21.6
 Discuss
 Midget Girls: Nicole Manary, 1st, 28.56
 Junior Girls: Shona Malloy, 2nd, 24.64; Debbie Ray, 20.60
 Senior Girls: Lian Dron, 1st, 28.64; Cassie Hie, 5th, 21.06
 Midget Boys: Matt Moore, 1st, 33.76; Wayne Shelly, 4th, 29.34
 Junior Boys: Travis Bain, 2nd, 30.10; Shane Bamhour, 4th, 27.34;
 Dave Petch, 7th, 24.38



Senior Boys: Joel Tomlinson, 1st, 40.14; Joel Cooper, 6th, 20.24; Lance Aggett, 7th, 25.30
 Shot Put
 Midget Girls: Kate Dawson, 2nd, 8.40
 Junior Girls: Debbie Ray, 2nd, 8.06; Kira Fry, 6th, 7.74; Shona Malloy, 8th, 6.93
 Senior Girls: Liane Dron, 1st, 8.96; Caley Sisson, 4th, 7.57; Valerie Sutcliffe, 6th, 6.63
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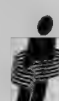


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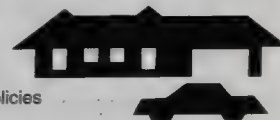
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HHHS kids score

Local biology students score bronze in what could be called the Stanley Cup of environmental issues

KENNETH JACKSON

Staff Reporter

A team of five biology students put their environmental skills to use at the province-wide Envirothon and walked away with a third-place finish.

The Haliburton Highlands Secondary School students earned the chance to compete in the province-wide challenge by winning the regionals in Belleville, April 18. Envirothon is an educational program which tests high school students about natural resources and current environmental issues.

HHSS had two teams which competed at Envirothon regionals but when the teams learned they had tied for first place and had to flip a coin to make one team to compete against 20 others in the provincials.

The five that moved on were, Janet Shim, Andy Fox, Kira Fry, Amanda Boughner and Nick Russell. The five who bowed out of competition were Amelia Ambridge, Martin Gage, Margaret Berube, Abbey-Blythe Hagerman and Robert Ainsley.

Amanda says the challenge wasn't that hard, and looks forward to competing again next year.

"We didn't find it that difficult. Everyone is pretty efficient in their own studies," she said.

"It's more of an applied learning, not so much testing," said Nick who specialized in wildlife. "For example, judges take you

to a small pond (field session) and ask you a question like, 'How do you improve the habitat in this area?'"

Each team attends field sessions and solves problems from five major areas: aquatics, forestry, soils, wildlife and a rotating topic which this year was invasive species.

"Ontario Envirothon encourages young people to learn more about the environment by getting out of the classroom and experiencing the outdoors," said Erik Turk, executive director of the Ontario Forestry Association. "In a group setting, they learn from one another, from resource professionals and from nature itself."

The students from HHSS choose to do the Envirothon as their independent study for the biology classes.

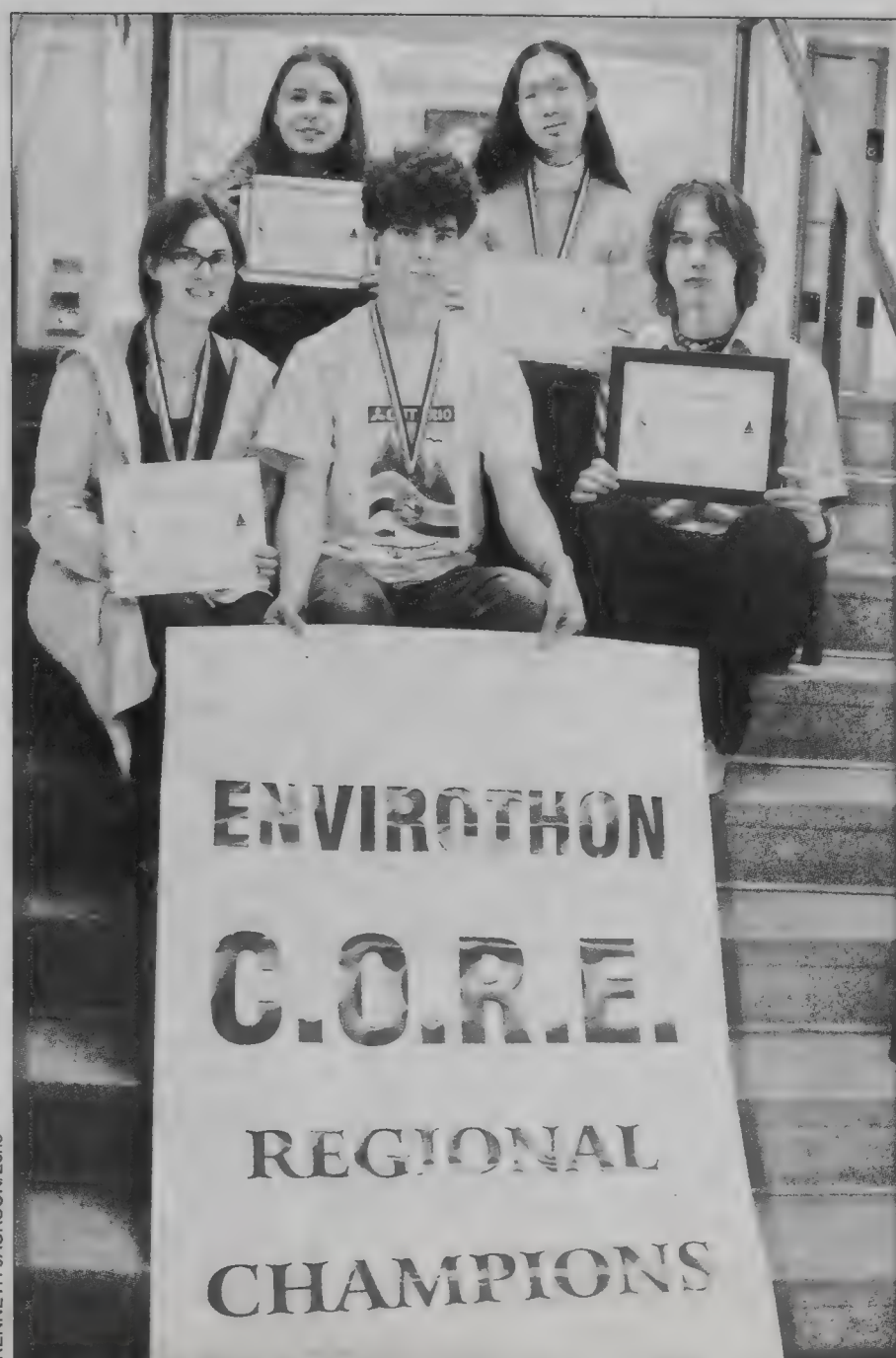
Kira picked it because from the past years she heard how great the challenge was.

"I heard it was really fun. It was just something that I wanted to do," she said.

The group practised with their teachers, especially their chemistry teacher, Ron Zonderzan, their coach.

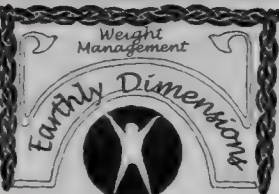
"I did the grunt work. As in setting up the trip for them, and helped them study along with other teachers," said Zonderzan.

The winning team from Perth and District Collegiate advances to the international competition, the Canon Envirothon, in Amherst, Mass. from July 29 to August 4.



KENNETH JACKSON/Echo

These five students at HHSS placed third in Ontario at the province-wide Envirothon May. Back row from the left are Kira Fry and Janet Shim. Front row from the left are Amanda Boughner, Andy Fox and Nick Russell.



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Trio should find extra \$200,000

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letter and come to a meeting to say the HCSA has not done a good job. Where were these people, along with hundreds of other business owners over the past few years? These three business owners have some valid points on how to improve the HCSA. But all of their ideas cost money and lots of it, as well as take thousands of man-hours to complete.

Stop buying new groomers, they say, great idea as you watch your repair bills and down time go through the roof. What then happens five years from now when you have a great trail base where permission allows it and only rundown equipment left to groom with. Groom more often and during the day, great idea, at the same time you should order more safety sleighs for the fire departments to retrieve the persons hitting the groomer as well as the groomer operators. Many years of experience have told us that day-time grooming on a trail with heavy traffic is a waste of time and money, as the trail does not have time to "set up".

In the past it has always been about balance in the HCSA: how do you keep trail base, bridging, groomers all in good shape and still complete the day-to-day jobs of the club?

I do commend these three for again becoming directors of the HCSA. A letter like this does not surprise me though. It was that way when I was involved with the HCSA. To my knowledge there were only two directors in the HCSA this past season that owned snowmobile-related businesses and again to my knowledge they attended very few meetings.

If snowmobiling were to disappear today, most of the directors of the HCSA would have more money in their pockets, as there are costs involved in being a volunteer.

I completely understand that running a business in the winter in Haliburton is not easy. Remove the snowmobile industry from Haliburton County and see how easy it is to make it through the winter. Winter Gold, a study done by the province in 1998 for the OFSC told us that the snowmobile industry brought into



An estimated \$40-50 million is injected into Haliburton County through snowmobiling during an average winter.

Ontario almost \$1-billion. If at that time you divided the number of permit holders into \$1-billion and then multiplied it by the number of HCSA permit holders, you ended up with approximately \$30-million for Haliburton County. It was estimated at the time that this figure for Haliburton County would be much higher as this figure would only give you the average for the province. Therefore you could estimate the total dollars being spent by snowmobilers in Haliburton County anywhere from \$40-50 million per season.

Where is this money being spent? Every business in Haliburton County benefits from snowmobiling. I once had a person from the construction trade say to me "Snowmobiling does nothing for my business, so why should I support it?" I found this statement to be very far from the truth. How many out-of-town people have renovated or built new cottages to accommodate winter use? This goes for every business in Haliburton. Some businesses have said to me in the past, "I support the club through newspaper ads."

This support is greatly appreciated as it allows the club to communicate with its members but, in all reality, it creates no additional funds for the club.

So how do we insure that the snowmobile trails remain open in Haliburton with fewer directors, fewer tools to work with, an ever-increasing workload, grooming more hours, improving the trail base and bridging? Hire more people to complete the workload right? Sounds easy, but where does the money come from? Maybe this should be the three business owners' first project to complete as new directors of the HCSA, to find the additional \$200,000 it would take to complete these jobs, find a way to get all businesses involved in snowmobiling and find a way so that all business and taxpayers are paying equally to insure that the snowmobile industry along with \$40-50 million in economic impact for Haliburton County remains strong for many years to come.

Bob Picard,
Past Vice President
Trails chair of the HCSA
Haliburton, Ont.

Women also guilty

To the Editor:

A recent presentation to the Catholic Women's League and Sharon Lynch's subsequent letter to *The Echo*, "Group helps men change behaviour," may have left both the CWL and your readers with the impression that men are primarily responsible for domestic violence. The results of Statistics Canada's General Societal Survey in 1999 reported that the five-year rate for domestic violence was similar for women and men (8% and 7% respectively). In light of this information the Curbing Aggressive Behaviour program which Ms Lynch co-ordinates appears to deal with only half of the problem.

Quoting from *Tragic Tolerance of Domestic Violence* written by Paul Szabo, MP for Mississauga South, "We cannot hope to solve the cycle of violence until we are prepared to admit that women can be as violent as men. Failing to acknowledge the violence perpetrated by a woman prevents us from developing effective programs to address the societal problem in the true light of reality."

I encourage both Ms Lynch and the CWL to adopt a balanced approach in their continued quest for solutions to societal problems of hunger and violence.

Paul Dillon,
Haliburton.

Congratulations!

Dear friends at *The Echo*:

Congratulations on your award, but I am not surprised. I really enjoy my *Echo* when it arrives. I read every word in it. It is so interesting, I feel I am experiencing all the great activities in Haliburton as I read "my Echo."

My family, Jim and Marilyn Frost, arrange for me to receive it as a Christmas gift. Keep up your terrific news. Thank-you so much.

May Frost,
Don Mills, Ont.

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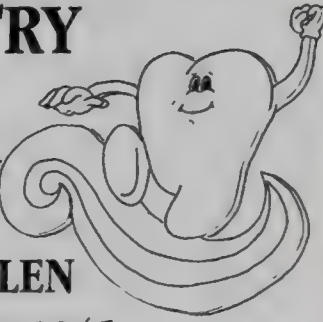
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Rail trail back on track

To the Editor:

Whoopdeedoo! The kind souls of the county's roads department have filled in the 'pool' that was obstructing the old railway line/walking trail south of Haliburton. My thanks (and many others I'm sure) to Don and Roy and everyone who took action to get those trucks in there! And a special thanks to our own Martha Perkins, for taking up the cause. What a treat to be able to walk all the way in to town, through quiet woodlands. Now everyone can traipse or bicycle out from Haliburton, and enjoy the trail! Many thanks.

Now. Whose department is pollution? Because that marsh, which was alive and well just a decade ago, is now thoroughly poisoned. Not one frog, and there used to be hundreds. I know some folks who live on Barnum Lake are worried that the poison could leach into their water. Is any one else concerned?

J. Wykes,
Haliburton

'Eyesore' needs paint

To the Editor:

As cottagers, and as lovers of the whole Haliburton scene, my wife and I feel that it is important to bring a certain observation that we have made to the appropriate authorities.

Much has been done, recently, to beautify the downtown Haliburton area. I'm thinking, particularly of the approach to the main intersection of Hwy 118 and Hwy 121 from West Guilford. The work that has been done around the Gull River, and the new road surface, are wonderful improvements.

Just south of the Cranberry Gift Shop, near the bridge, is a real eyesore! I'm referring to the second-hand clothes and furniture place and the Boy Scout entrance way. Why on earth hasn't someone taken the initiative to at least invest in some paint and a paint brush and, perhaps, one hour of labour, to spruce up that God-awful mess.

As Haliburton is taking its rightful place as respected Arts' community, don't let something as easily remedied as the above problem tarnish the good works that have been done.

Paul Lightfoot,
Mississauga.



MPP Chris Hodgson holds a poster with Logan Roberts, co-president of HHSS student council and one of the winners of the Young Heritage Leaders program. Behind are some of the other 39 winners receiving a round of applause from the audience.

Nothing but praise for HHSS students

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scrutinized. We are very fortunate to be recognized, but we deserve it."

Hodgson wasn't short on praise for the man who spear-headed the project from the beginning.

"Dave Mowat is one-in-a-million. To give kids the encouragement, and to form all the partnerships within the community, he was able to get the whole community behind the project. And Principal Gary Brohman had the courage to let a teacher do that, and I think that says a lot about our community."

While some of the work was done during the school day, Mowat also spent hundreds of volunteer hours organizing the project and working with the Ministry of Natural Resources and the Haliburton County Development Corporation to successfully apply for money to make it all possible. Those grants also gave dozens of students work over two summers.

Fearrey wanted everyone to know how lucky the Haliburton County is to have a politician like Hodgson, who some say is a local hero.

"Chris is no stranger to the people in Haliburton. He grew up here, and his family has deep roots here also. Many

times when someone is in provincial politics some of the local people that are closest to them lose sight of what he is doing, and how important it is to the community. Chris Hodgson has had a major impact on this community, and this county.

"Projects like this would not have gotten off the ground without the support he has given," he said as people clapped in agreement. "He is a very dedicated young politician and we are very fortunate, regardless of your political belief, to have him here in our community."

One winning student had this to say about the project.

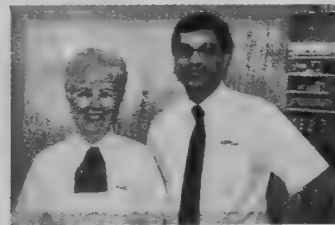
"Three goals needed to be kept in mind while we worked on the new project. The

bank needed to be stabilized, fish habitat needed to be created and the area needed to be made more appealing to the public," Liane Dron said of the work that needed to be done under the bridge on Drag River.

Other work that was done by the students included the removal of the oil that was leaching into the water and recreating a spawning bed for walleye.

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Burning issue

Red Hawk Theatre Company presents Ray Bradbury's *Fahrenheit 451*, "a futuristic, science fiction suspense thriller set in a time when books are burned and tv screens take up entire walls"

IF PEOPLE WATCH TELEVISION for three to four hours a day, work or go to school for eight hours, get their proper eight hours rest and, it's hoped, spend part of the day actually talking to one another, how much time does that leave them for reading books?

Ray Bradbury asked that question back in 1952. His answer was *Fahrenheit 451*.

From June 1 to 4, the HHSS Red Hawk Theatre Company will be providing some of its own answers in a dramatized version of Bradbury's book.

**Story and
photos by
Martha Perkins**

"I've always wanted to do the play; it's a play the kids need to experience. Bradbury's insights into the effects of mass culture on an individual are profound, and timely," says HHSS drama teacher Darrell Dobson, who's

directing the production.

He describes the play as "a futuristic, science fiction suspense thriller set in a time when books are burned and tv screens take up entire walls."

Television was still in its infancy back in 1952, but Bradbury could already see how it could totally absorb our attention. Even then, he could also see that it did that by giving us a picture of the world which, by and large, is filled with laugh tracks, superficial plot lines and fist fights which don't draw blood.

What if, Bradbury asked, society becomes so enamoured with television's portrait of life that it begins to reject books? Books, after all, make us think. Sometimes they make us sad. Worse yet, sometimes they make us question.

As Dobson explains, in *Fahrenheit 451*, "Books are evil because they upset you. They challenge you to think, to be an individual. You may question the government and the way society's working."

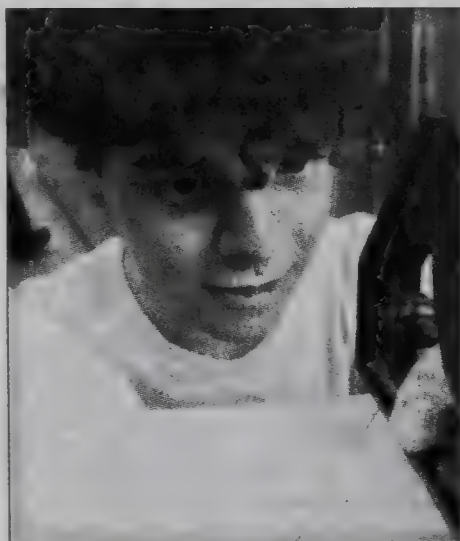
Books, therefore, must be burned.

That's the job of a firemen named Montag. At first, he's an enthusiastic convert to the cause, enthusiastically rushing from house to house whenever an emergency call comes in. Instead of putting out fires, however, it's his job to start them, with flames spurting out of the hose's nozzle as he torches a house where books are found.

Two things happen, however. One is he meets a girl, a girl who represents a life force – not life's destruction. She rejects television. Then he's called out to a house where the woman refuses to leave. "She'd rather commit suicide by staying in a house with books than live without them," Dobson says.

And so Montag does what he's not supposed to – he

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While Mary Sisson and Vanessa Smith paint the firehall which takes centre stage in *Fahrenheit 451*, fellow tech student Andy Fox squares off the stairs he is helping to build to the fire tower.

Play makes students – and audience – question the role of television

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questions the values he's grown up with and automatically assumed to be right. Or, as Dobson says, "this guy wakes up to the fact he's leading an unhappy life."

When the students in Dobson's drama classes – both those who like to be on stage and those who will prepare the stage – first read the play, some of them didn't get it. They are so caught up in the television culture, they initially couldn't step back and see its effects from Bradbury's eyes. But the students have



Theatre tech Meghan Kernohan and Kristin Teevins help paint the set of *Fahrenheit 451*.

warmed up to it since then. While the actors get down the nuances of their lines, the theatre tech class is busily working away on the set. All students' ideas were welcomed and, guided by Dobson, incorporated into the production. Last week, some students were painting Montag's firehall while others were downloading the images of fire and heat and conflagration which will be imposed on large screens on the stage.

The play runs June 1, 2, 3 and 4 at 7 p.m. at the Northern Lights Pavilion. Tickets are \$5 each and are available at Cranberry Cottage or at the door.



Auxiliary a busy host

The Haliburton Hospital Auxiliary recently hosted a conference of auxiliary members from the region. As part of a full slate of activities, guests were taken on a tour of the Haliburton Hospital by Lynne Johnston, top, shown how to arrange flowers by Joanne Nichols of Country Rose, above right, and treated to a fashion show with an environmental theme, at left. (Models included Joan Stinson and Lenore Gillespie.)

Photos by Martha Perkins

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland, Haliburton Training Board (KLNHTB) will be holding its Annual General meeting, June 6, 2002 in the Regency B room at the Holiday Inn, Peterborough (150 George St. N.) from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. All interested persons are welcome. Please direct your RSVP by May 30 to:

KLNHTB
P.O. Box 72, Peterborough, ON K9J 6Y5
(705) 749-3250 or toll free 1-800-340-0111
fax: (705) 749-3162
email: klnhtb@auracom.com

There will be a presentation on the Local Labour Market Environmental Scan Update, which identifies the key labour force supply and demand issues in the Peterborough, Northumberland, Haliburton, and City of Kawartha Lakes areas.

AVIS DE CONVOCATION À L'ASSEMBLÉE GÉNÉRALE ANNUELLE

La Commission de formation Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland, Haliburton (CFKLNH) tiendra son Assemblée générale annuelle le 6 juin 2002, à la salle Regency B du Holiday Inn, à Peterborough (150, rue George N.) de 18h à 19h. Toutes personnes intéressées sont les bienvenues. Veuillez faire parvenir votre réponse d'ici le 30 mai:

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Il y aura une présentation sur la mise à jour de l'analyse du milieu du marché du travail local, laquelle identifie les principaux problèmes de l'offre et de la demande de main d'œuvre de la région de Peterborough, Northumberland, Haliburton et de la ville de Kawartha Lakes.

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Haliburton Legion news

Track meet, Sunday brunches keep branch hopping

by ED PICKARD

The branch elections were held on May 9, and the following is your new executive. President - Ethel Galvin, 1st Vice-President - Jerry Irish, 2nd Vice-President - Dennis Baker, 3rd Vice-President - Lou Trepanier,

Executive members - Richard Watson, Bill Scott, Barry Purpura, Bill Juby, Barry Hastings and David Stirret. The secretary and treasurer (secretary treasurer) will be appointed by the president.

On Saturday, May 25, at 9 a.m. the Legion's Annual Track Meet will be held at the high school. There will be over 300 elementary school children participating in this event. We invite everyone to come out and encourage these athletes. The kids sure enjoy your support.

The Sunday brunches continue to be very popular and will be held on June 2 & 23 commencing at 9:00 a.m. These are open to the public, so come out, bring some friends and enjoy a great breakfast at a reasonable charge.

The Friday afternoon meat draw is always a lot of fun and members and their guests are always welcome. The fun begins at 4 p.m. every Friday, with draws every half hour from 4:30 to 6:30. Come out and support your branch.

The "Wall of Remembrance" project is progressing quite well with many people, members and non-members alike participating by buying a block of the mural. Work will get underway as soon as weather conditions allow. If you wish to contribute to this tribute to our Armed Forces men and women, who daily

put so much at risk so that we may enjoy the freedom that we have, please contact the Legion at 457-2571.

Bingo players take note! There will be a \$1,000 bingo on June 12. Attendance at our regular Wednesday Bingo has been improving. Come out and try your luck.

The snowbirds are returning (although given the recent weather conditions I don't know why) and we hope to see many of them at the branch. Members are reminded that a Legion branch is only as strong as the participation of its membership and if we are to continue to contribute to the well-being of our community we need your support.



Earlier this year, the Haliburton Legion hosted its annual Jack Bassett Memorial Bonspiel at the Haliburton Curling Club. The event raised \$835 and the Legion matched that amount to bring its donation to the Cancer Society to \$1,670. Presenting the cheque to the society's local fundraising convenor Phyllis Woodcock are Legion Branch 129 President Ethel Galvin and Deputy-Zone Commander Ed Pickard.

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- **Diabetes Support Group** in Haliburton and Minden – Every third Tuesday of the month in Minden at the HHHS site Fireplace lounge from 2-4 p.m. and every fourth Tuesday of the month in Haliburton in the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Classroom from 2-4 p.m. Please call 286-2140 ext. 242 for information.
- **Scottish Country Dancers** meet during June, July and August at Stanhope Community Centre, Monday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Beginners and singles welcome. Phone 286-1218 or 447-2509 for more information.
- **The Haliburton Highlands Prostate Cancer Support Group** meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside lounge at the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home in Minden. All men and the women who love them are welcome. For info., please contact Rick Ratcliff at 286-6699 or email leacliff@sympatiki.ca
- **May 22: Bridge Luncheon** - Minden Health Care Auxiliary is hosting a bridge luncheon at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home in the Fireplace Room on Wed., May 22nd, at 12:00 noon. Tickets available at the M.H.C.A. Gift Shop (Hyland Crest Entrance) or phone 286-4531 for info and cost.
- **May 23: The Tim Heming Memorial Golf Tournament and BBQ** will be held the afternoon of Thursday, May 23rd. Please contact Sally at 286-4922 for location, registration details and how to make prize donations. Open to adult golfers interested in a outrageously fundraising fun time.
- **May 25: Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalists** – Join us for a morning walk with Donald Smith to hear and see spring birds along the old CNR line on Saturday, May 25. Meet at Goulds Crossing at 6:30. Drive E 0.4 km from County Rd #1 (1.4 km S of junction of County Road 18 at Barnum Lake, or 4 km N of Donald) and park near rail corridor. Bring binoculars, walking shoes, field guides, and insect repellent. All are welcome.
- **May 25: Saturday - Lochlin United Church "Roast Pork Loin Supper"** 5, 6, 7 p.m. sit-tings. Call 286-1765 for tickets. At the Church, Church Road off County Rd. #1 Lochlin.
- **May 27: 11:00 a.m. - C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre** Minden will be visiting the new Minden Animal Hospital. Please call Julie to sign up 286-1770.
- **May 30: Alzheimer Society Support Groups.** We are holding informal support meetings. You are welcome to attend. Bring your concerns. We will bring the refreshments. You are not alone. Haliburton, Thurs. May 30, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. Hyland Crest Chapel. If you have any questions or want more information, please call Janet Bottum at the Alzheimer Office in Haliburton at 457-8335.
- **May 30: "Daffodils" Cancer Support Group,** Haliburton United Church, 2 p.m. Cancer patients and families reaching out to help others cope with this disease. Contact please are Jean Casey, 457-1010 and Helen Cox, 286-2224.
- **June 1: Dinner and Charity Auction by Rotary Club** of Minden and St. Pauls Anglican Church at the Minden Community Centre. For tickets, please call Jeanne Anthon at 286-3756. Saturday the doors open at 5:30 p.m. for the Auction. A Roast Beef Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. All proceeds from the Auction will go to the Minden Rotary Club. All proceeds from the dinner will go to the "Special Projects Fund" for St. Paul's. A fee will be charged for the dinner.
- **June 8: Annual Minden County Town Museum Yard Sale** - 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Don't miss this special fundraiser. Donations welcome! Call 286-3154.
- **June 8: A taste of heaven ...** Be sure to join us Sat., June 8 beginning at 7:30 p.m. as Paraguayan harpist, Eduard Klassen performs at Lakeside Baptist Church "...an accomplished musician who has the unique ability to weave his testimony with humour into his concerts." (A free will offering will be taken.)
- **June 11: "How Does Your Garden Grow?"** Join author and heritage gardener Laurel MacDowell for a discussion on the why's and how's of heritage gardening. Features a plant swap and a tour of the museum's new heritage garden – just in time for planting!
- **June 15: Highlands Wind Symphony with special guest** - The York Minstrels - Show choir "Presents Symphony and Song" Sat., June 15th, 7:30 p.m. The Northern Lights Pavilion at HHSS. For further info call Glen Carter at 457-2862.

Events listings are provided **FREE** for non-profit groups on a space-available basis. While we endeavour to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Echo at 457-3275, emailed to editorial@haliburtonecho.on.ca, or brought in to the office. **Please submit events by the Thursday prior to the requested publication date.**
NOTE: This calendar is not a comprehensive listing of all events taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in the Echo for more information on events and in the Highlands.

Requiem for Rhubarb Festival

Shortage of volunteers leads to demise of delicious annual event

eagle lake news

rhubarb patch

Ruth Still
754-2602

Requiem.

Death occurred at 10 minutes to 8 on Thursday evening, May 9th. The last two at the bedside decided it was time to halt the

life support system and let the victim die a sudden death rather than endure the gradual weakening and eventually a more painful death.

Feelings? A certain relief at no longer having to prop up a life that required more and more support from fewer and fewer resources.

Sadness, that something which had been a focal point in the lives of so many in the village, was over.

Pride, in its short 10 years it accomplished what it was born for:

- it brought people together in friendship for a common purpose.

- it identified a product for which it became famous.

- it gave our village its whimsical identity.

- it created a recreational playground where children and parents can enjoy innocent, healthful, summer fun for decades to come, The Beach Park.

Sadly, The Eagle Lake Rhubarb Festival is no more.

Perhaps the Festival was a passing phase of the older, pie-baking, pie-eating generation, (must admit that making and baking 50 rhubarb pies is

a pastime we can gladly omit).

There have been many marvelous, creative, dedicated people from the area who have planned and engineered the Festival for 10 years. The village is forever indebted to you and to all those who worked so faithfully to stage this event.

We apologize to our faithful supporters and guests who are already making inquiries about the pies, the races and the events. The Eagle Lake Rhubarb Festival has become an anticipated event on the summer calendar of the County of Haliburton.

Perhaps a younger group with more stamina might still take up the cause with a different format, and stage a similar event to carry on the tradition.

To paraphrase: "To you from failing hands, we pass the stalk."

Be yours to hold it high

Meantime records and pictures of every festival have been kept and it is to be hoped these will end in a publication of some sort.

It was a unique idea. My personal thanks to all who supported it.



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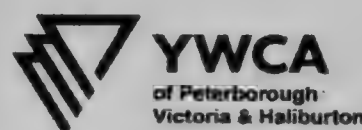
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We seek a Coordinator to manage, coordinate and develop YWCA outreach services and programs for women and families in Haliburton and Peterborough Counties. 28-35 hours/week. Office based in Haliburton. Start: June 24/02

Qualifications: post secondary education in women's studies/social services, or related field, with a minimum of three years management/supervisory experience. Skills we seek: demonstrated ability to be an effective leader, manage program transitions and change, and work proactively with staff teams in a unionized workplace using a collaborative management style; understanding of the issues of violence against women living in rural areas, related legislation and a demonstrated ability to deliver direct services; clinical supervision skills an asset; skills in program development, evaluation, budgeting, conflict resolution and problem-solving; program promotion, fundraising, and public speaking abilities; commitment to anti-oppression work, computer skills (Microsoft Word, Internet) and own transportation. Must be effective communicator in English, with other languages, including ASL, an asset.

Forward cover letter and resume by May 31, 2002 to: B. McEwen, Director of Shelter and Outreach, 216 Simcoe St. Peterborough, Ont. K9H 2H7 or Fax: 705-745-4654 or e-mail bmcewen@ywcapeterborough.org.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Applicant: Grant & Emily Paisley
Part Lot 14 Concession 9, Halls Lake
Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has by resolution declared part of an original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 14 Concession 9, Halls Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton, to be surplus.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 14 Concession 9, Stanhope Township described as follows:

FIRSTLY: All and Singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope in the County of Haliburton and lying in front Part of Lot 14 Concession 9 more particularly described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-7272.

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Algonquin Highlands Municipal Office, North Shore Road, on the 6th day of June, 2002 at the hour of 11:00 a.m., and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated: April 19, 2002

Gerald C. Bain, C.A.O.
Township of Algonquin Highlands
RR # 2
Minden, ON K0M 2K0

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THE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS MUSEUM

TENDER FOR REPLACEMENT OF CEDAR SHINGLE ROOF AT THE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS MUSEUM

Tenders will be accepted at the Haliburton Highlands Museum until 5:00 p.m., June 7, 2002 for the stripping, removal, and replacement of cedar shingles on the main section of the log house at the Museum.

TENDER FOR THE INSTALLATION OF AN EMERGENCY LIGHTING SYSTEM AT THE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS MUSEUM

Tenders will be accepted at the Haliburton Highlands Museum until 5:00 p.m., June 7, 2002 for the installation of emergency and exit lighting at the main building of the Haliburton Highlands Museum

**Details and job site inspection at the
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NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION TO PURCHASE THE SHORELINE ROAD ALLOWANCE MUNICIPALITY OF DYSART ET AL

DATE: Monday June 10th, 2002

TIME: any person who wishes to address Council should contact the Planning Department for a delegation time.

LOCATION: Council Chambers, Municipal Office, Haliburton, Ontario.

APPLICATIONS: The Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al has by resolution declared the following parcels of land to be surplus. These parcels of land are parts of original shoreline road allowances, located in the Municipality of Dysart et al, in the County of Haliburton.

1. Applicants: Fiorini, Fiorini and Stewart
Location: Kennis Lake.
 - In front of Lot 11, Concession 3, Township of Havelock.
 - Adjacent to Lots 41, 42 & 43, Plan 467, Pine Point Road.
 - Defined as Parts 1, 2, 3 and 4 on a preliminary plan of survey prepared by Paul Wilson, OLS and dated October 5th, 2001, available for review in the Planning Department.
2. Applicant: Moeser
Location: Drag Lake.
 - In front of Lot 32, Concession 7, Township of Dysart.
 - Chandler Drive.
 - Defined as Parts 4 and 6 on a preliminary plan of survey prepared by Paul Wilson, OLS and dated December 4th, 2001, available for review in the Planning Department.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al proposes to consider and if deemed appropriate enact at its meeting as noted above, a by-law to close, stop-up and convey the portions of shoreline road allowance described above.

BEFORE PASSING the said by-law, the Council of the Corporation of the United Townships of Dysart et al shall at its meeting to be held as noted above, hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be affected by the said by-law.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION is available for review from the Planning Department at the Municipal Office during regular offices hours (9:00 am. to 5:00 pm. Monday to Friday).

DATED at the Township of Dysart, this 10th day of April, 2002.
Patricia E. Martin
M.C.I.P., R.P.P.
Township Planner

NOTICE

(Applicant - BOWMAN)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF KOSHLONG LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter M45, Section 297 and Section 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Wilberforce, Ontario on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 2002, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 15, Concession 13, and Part of Lot 15, Concession 13 designated as Road Allowance on Registered Plan No. 464, Township of Glamorgan, Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton, shown as Part 1, 2 and 3 (Part 3 - flooded lands to be retained by the Municipality) on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated July 12, 1999.

The Preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above, is available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipality of Highlands East offices, Wilberforce, Ontario.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Municipality of Highlands East shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Municipality of Highlands East (Wilberforce), Ontario this 17th day of May, 2002.

SHARON STOUGHTON-CRAIG
CAO/CLERK-TREASURER
Box 295
Wilberforce, Ontario
K0L 3C0

NOTICE

(Applicant - BURGESS/WHITTLE)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF KOSHLONG LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter M45, Section 297 and Section 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Wilberforce, Ontario on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 2002, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

FIRSTLY: Part of Lot 16, Concession 14 designated as Road Allowance on Crown Land Survey attached to Inst. 16420, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton, designated as Part 1 on Plan 19R-6570.

SECONDLY: Part of Lot 16, Concession 14 designated as Road Allowance on Crown Land Survey attached to Inst. 15590, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton, designated as Part 2 on Plan 19R-6570.

THIRDLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 16, Concession 14, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton designated as Parts 7, 8, 9 and 10 on Plan 19R-6570. (Part 10 being the flooded portion to be retained by the Township).

Plan 19R-6570, as referred to above, is available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipality of Highlands East offices, Wilberforce, Ontario.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Municipality of Highlands East shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Municipality of Highlands East (Wilberforce), Ontario this 17th day of May, 2002.

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Public Library

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c/o Joel Levis
Chief Librarian
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K0M 1S0

NOTICE

(Applicant - PADGETT)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF BUCKSKIN LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter M45, Section 297 and Section 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Wilberforce, Ontario on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 2002, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lots 31 and 32, Concession 7, Township of Monmouth, Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton, shown as Part 2 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated November 30, 2001.

The Preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above, is available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipality of Highlands East offices, Wilberforce, Ontario.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Municipality of Highlands East shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Municipality of Highlands East (Wilberforce), Ontario this 17th day of May, 2002.

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Hot meal on a cold day: yum!

Policing Association's roast beef fundraiser a hot ticket

The roast beef dinner fundraiser put on by the Community Policing Association was very well received on Saturday, May 18, 2002 at the Lloyd Watson Centre. A tasty hot meal was very welcome on such an unseasonably cold day. After a day of yard sale shopping, trying to do some planing or getting the cottage in full operation, this annual meal prepared by willing volunteers really hit the spot.

We were saddened to learn of the sudden death of long-time area resident Clem Peters on May 13, 2002. Clem was a hard worker who enjoyed gardening. Many enjoyed the fresh eggs and vegetables that he and Eunice made available. Our sympathy is extended to Eunice and all of their family.

It is good to know that Legion Branch 624 will soon have the new cenotaph erected in the village. There will be special celebrations for its official unveiling early in July.

The Outpost Historic House welcomed members of LOGS, Ladies On the Go Social, last Thursday evening, May 26. Usually LOGS meets in homes and has sessions with speakers, etc., that enlighten and enliven these women who lead busy lives both professionally and socially. They came to hear about the history of the Wilberforce Outpost and Red Cross Outpost nursing. It was a pleasure to have the opportunity to spread the story of how integral the Outpost and its nursing service was in the lives of people in this area for many years.

Roller skating has started again at the arena on Saturday nights. Once school is out for the summer it is also available on Wednesday evenings. Check with

Joanne Vanier, 448-2034, for more information about the schedule. When there are events such as dances, Country Good Times, the Rock and Gem Show, it isn't possible to have roller skating on Saturday nights.

The Monmouth Recreation Committee is planning to have the Welcome to Wilberforce signs installed on Saturday, June 22. There are three attractive signs ready to be erected on the outskirts of Wilberforce, one each on the south and north-east entries on County Rd. 648 and one on County Rd. 4 near Cockle Lake. This special event will include a bbq of hot dogs and burgers at the fire hall for all who participate in the raising of the signs and of the garbage pick up along the roads leading in from the signs to the village.

The Rec. Committee has Country Good Times planning well in hand. The theme this year is "Venture into the Great Outdoors." We heard a rumour that Red Green (or maybe an impersonator) may even show up in the parade on Sat., July 20 straight out of Possum Lodge. Get out the duct tape and stick together your own entry in the festivities. Be sure and put Friday, July 19 on your calendar for dancing at a super return of the Lincolnares band. Country Good Times is definitely scheduled for July 19 to 21, not as listed in the Chamber of Commerce's destination guide.

Ponder this Spanish riddle I came across:

*A marvel, a marvel!
What can it be? It is born in the mountains
And lives on the water.*

Answer next time.

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Hilda Clark
448-2018

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(Applicant - LEWIS et al)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF KOSHLONG LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter M45, Section 297 and Section 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Township Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, Wilberforce, Ontario on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 2002, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

FIRSTLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 14, Concession 15, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 1, 2 and 3 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999;

SECONDLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lots 14 and 15, Concession 15, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton, designated as Part 4 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999;

THIRDLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 15, Concession 14 & 15, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton designated as Part 5 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999;

FOURTHLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 15, Concession 14, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton designated as Parts 6, 7, 8 and 9 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999;

FIFTHLY: Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 15, Concession 14, and in front of Lots 14 and 15, Concession 15, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton designated as Part 10 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999 (Part 10 being the flooded portion to be retained by the Township);

SIXTHLY: Part of Lot 15, Concession 14, designated as Road Allowance on Crown Land Survey attached to Inst. 8261, Township of Glamorgan, County of Haliburton designated as Parts 11 and 12 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Paul Wilson, O.L.S., dated February 15, 1999; and

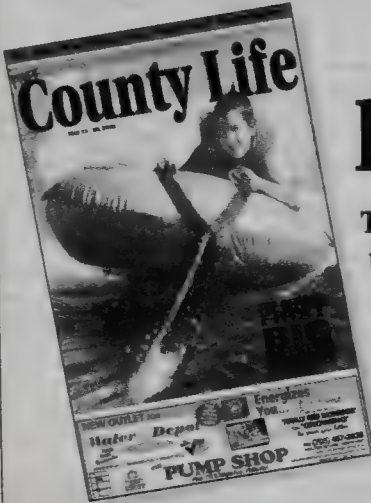
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The Preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above is available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipality of Highlands East Offices, Wilberforce, Ontario.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Municipality of Highlands East shall then and there hear in person or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

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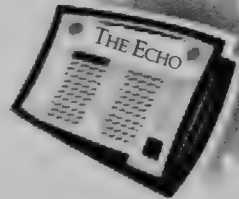


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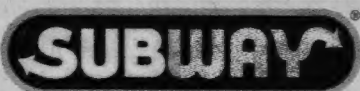
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Kai-Shin Karate (North)

Highland Street - Haliburton
(below Home Hardware)

MONDAY - FRIDAY
Children 5:30 pm
Juniors 6:45pm
Adults 8:00pm
Saturday classes available
Everyone Welcome

Drop in or call
Michael Chapman
457-3616
for more information

HALIBURTON DANCE ARTS
is Hosting a CPR/First Aid Course
by Victoria-Save-a-life
Sat. June 22, 9-4:30
Cost \$40.
If interested call
457-1561 to register.

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HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS FIELD NATURALISTS

Join us for a morning walk with
Donald Smith to hear and see
spring birds along the old CNR line
on Saturday, May 25.
Meet at Goulds Crossing at 06:30.
Drive E. 0.4 km from County Road
#1 (1.4 km S of junction of County
Road 18 at Barnum Lake, or 4 km
N of Donald) and park near rail
corridor.
Bring binoculars, walking shoes,
field guides, and insect repellent.
All are welcome.

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MUSCLE CONDITIONING & BOXERCISE CLASSES

for summer at
Haliburton Dance Arts.
Begins June 10 every Monday +
Thurs.
6:30 - 7:15 p.m.
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7:15 - 8:00 p.m. Boxercise \$100. for
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Presents
The grade 12 drama class
production of Ray Bradbury's
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To be performed at the Northern
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the evenings of June 1-4 at 7:00
p.m.
tickets \$5.00 on sale at the
Cranberry Cottage

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300 ANNOUNCEMENTS

CATHARINE (RIVERS) CANNON
would like to announce her marriage
to **Bev Hunt**, by having an open
dance at the West Guilford Rec. Cen-
tre on Sat. June 1, 2002 starting at
7:30 p.m.

**HOME SUPPORT'S Wheels to
Meals Service** continues at Kei's
Restaurant in Haliburton. For \$7.50
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tritious meal. Reservations required,
Marta Bradbury 754-1168. Available
to persons 55+ and/or physically dis-
abled 18+.

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**HOME SUPPORT'S Wheels to
Meals Service** is back beginning
June 10 at Haliburton Forest and Wild
Life Reserve Ltd. "The Cookhouse",
Every 2nd and 4th Monday to follow.
Enjoy a great social outing with a nu-
tritious meal for \$7. Reservations re-
quired, Vera Miller 754-2655. Avail-
able to persons 55+ and/or physical-
ly disabled 18+.

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300 ANNOUNCEMENTS

**HOME SUPPORT'S Wheels to
Meals Service** is new in Minden start-
ing June 6 at the Minden Legion
Branch 636, to continue the 1st Thurs-
day of each month, and the Wagon
Wheel Motel and Restaurant starting
June 20, to continue the 3rd Thurs-
day of every month. Enjoy a great so-
cial outing with a nutritious meal from
\$6. to \$7.50. Reservations required,
Ida Home Support 457-2941. Avail-
able to persons 55+ and/or physical-
ly disabled 18+.

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**The Haliburton Highlands Guild of
Fine Arts** is holding its Annual Gen-
eral Meeting, Wednesday, June 19th
at 7:00 p.m. at the Rails end Gallery.
This is an important meeting for HHG-
FA members as well as the general
public to attend, as we will be voting
on the new constitution proposed last
year. To RSVP or for a copy of the
constitution, please contact the Rails
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340 AUCTIONS/FLEA MARKETS

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340 AUCTIONS/FLEA MARKETS

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Norm Mills, auctioneer
Info 457-9603.

WHITE'S AUCTION SALE
Saturday, May 25 - 10 a.m.
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350 WEDDINGS/ ANNIVERSARIES

50TH ANNIVERSARY
The family of
GARTH & HELEN WINDSOR
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for their parents
50th Anniversary Celebration
at Zion United Church Hall,
Carnarvon
Sat. May 25th - 2002
2 - 4 p.m.
Best Wishes ONLY Please!

Louise, Valerie and George
would like to invite family and
friends to join them in celebrating
our parents

WALLY & RETA CROFTS
50th Wedding Anniversary
Saturday, May 25, 2002
at Ingoldsby United Church
from 1 - 4 p.m.
Best wishes only please!!

370 BIRTHDAYS

**SShhhhhhh!! ... It's a party,
but don't tell Ray.**
There is going to be a surprise
65th Birthday Party
for
RAY MILLER
On Sunday, May 26th 2002
Starting at 6:00 pm
in the Minden Room
at the
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Over the years Ray has made
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Please pass the word along to
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY (MAE) WADDELL, deceased.

All creditors and others having claims against the Estate of MARY (MAE) WADDELL, late of the township of Havelock, in the County of Haliburton, who died on or about the 11th day of April, 2002, are required to file the particulars of such claims with the undersigned solicitors for the said Estate on or before the 30th day of June, 2002. AND take notice that after the last day named, the assets of the said Estate, will be distributed among the persons hereto entitled having regard only to the claims of which the Executor for the Estate being Murray Paterson Waddell, shall have notice.

DATED at Haliburton, Ontario this 10th day of May, 2002 by BISHOP AND ROGERS, Barristers and Solicitors, P.O. Box 472, Haliburton, Ontario, K0M 1S0. Solicitors for the Executor of the Estate of Mary (Mae) Waddell.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ISOBEL RITCHIE SMALL, deceased.

All creditors and others having claims against the Estate of ISOBEL RITCHIE SMALL, late of the township of Dysart, in the County of Haliburton, who died on or about the 22nd day of March, 2002, are required to file the particulars of such claims with the undersigned solicitors for the said Estate on or before the 30th day of June, 2002.

AND take notice that after the last day named, the assets of the said Estate, will be distributed among the persons hereto entitled having regard only to the claims of which the Executrix for the Estate being Victoria Susan Sisson, shall have notice.

DATED at Haliburton, Ontario this 14th day of May, 2002 by BISHOP AND ROGERS, Barristers and Solicitors, P.O. Box 472, Haliburton, Ontario, K0M 1S0. Solicitors for the Executrix of the Estate of Isobel Ritchie Small.

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440 THANK YOU

THANK YOU – the final journey of **BRANT SISSON** was last week with interment at Evergreen Cemetery, Haliburton. The expressions of sympathy were overwhelming with stacks of cards, beautiful floral tributes, phone calls and donations to H.H.H.F.S. This was a great foundation to contribute in Brant's memory as the doctors and nurses were so kind on his many visits to Haliburton Hospital. We were so happy to have been able to celebrate Brant's 93rd birthday last November. We'll certainly miss Dad as he has been a major part of our life over the last several years. To all the folks who made regular phone calls to Brant, visits to Lindsay and sent cards and letters – your thoughtfulness was much appreciated. Words can't express our gratitude for your kindness. **Joanne and Grey and family.**

**THANKS FOR YOUR
MANY YEARS OF PATRONAGE,**
but I will no longer be selling
Annuals & Perennials at
Pet Headquarters.
Thanks Jim & Gloria for sharing
your space and
for your kindness,
help and generosity.
Have a Great Gardening Season.
Donna Clarke

440 THANK YOU

The **Smith Family** would like to thank Extencare for the loving care for Ray over the past years. We appreciate all the wonderful things the staff did for him. We would also like to thank our friends and neighbours for the lovely flowers, food and donations, John Menzies the organist, Reverend Greaves for his kind words and for doing the service. The Ladies Auxiliary Br. 129 for the lovely lunch prepared after and Dwaine and Molly of the Haliburton Community Funeral Home. **Ron & Vera Smith.**

450 IN MEMORIAM

FEIR, CREIGHTON – In loving memory of Creighton who passed away May 19, 1993. Nine long years Have gone by Since you passed away. We miss you more With each passing year. Sadly missed by **wife Helen and family.**

SISSON, DWIGHT – In memory of our friend who passed away May 22, 1995.

As the Angels sing Amazing Grace The Lord came down and touched your face.

He held your hand and whispered low, Come with me, it's time to go. The gates of Heaven opened wide The Angels lined up side by side. A special gift was on its way Our precious friend has passed away. Always remembered by **George and Marjorie, Alberta, Bernie, Cheryl, David, Erin and families.**

UPTON, RAY – In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather who passed away May 22, 2000. When evening shades are falling And we sit in quiet alone, To our hearts there come a longing If he only could come home. Friends may think we have forgotten. When at times they see us smile But little know the heartache Our smiles hide all the while. Loved and remembered always by **Roseann, Rick and family.**

UPTON, RAY – In loving memory of a dear uncle Ray Upton. On May 22, 2000 my world was torn apart. You were my uncle, my brother, my very best friend You were right there with me On my wedding day I rock away the hours In your rocking chair The tears I cannot hide I have tried so hard to let you go But I'm not ready, not just yet. Thank you for the memories They are my greatest treasure. Sadly missed by your **niece Nancy.**

UPTON, RAY – In loving memory of Ray Upton. On May 22, 2000 God answered your prayers and freed you from your pain. It has been two long and lonely years Since you went away You touched our lives in so many ways We still can't stop the tears It was hard to let you go There isn't a day goes by that your not in our thoughts. You will be forever in our hearts. We each have our own way to keep you close. Sadly missed. Love **Dorothy.**

460 OBITUARIES

AT REST JAN JANSEN

Passed away suddenly at his home in Hunter Creek Estates, R.R.#3, Minden on Monday, May 13, 2002.

In his 70th year.

Beloved husband of the late Madeleine Gregory (nee Medley). Son of the late Hilmar A. Jansen and Agnes H. Eversen. Dear father of Janicke Jansen and stepfather of Edward "Ted" Gregory and brother of Anna-Marie and her husband Per Heyerdahl of Norway and the Canary Islands. Fondly remembered by A.E. "Bud" and Muriel Medley, John and Glenda Atkins and family, all of Lindsay, Rita Roeder and also by his many friends at Hunter Creek Estates and the Minden area. A celebration of Jan's life will be held at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 Main Street, Minden, K0M 1S0 (1-888-588-5777) on Wednesday, May 22, 2002 at 11:00 a.m. with visitation one hour prior to the service. Cremation has taken place. Interment of cremated remains at Annan Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, Memorial donations can be made to the Minden Hospital Building Fund.

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CLEMENT "CLEM" PETERS (Resident of Wilberforce, Ontario) – At Quinte Healthcare North Hastings in Bancroft on Monday evening, May 13, 2002 in his 76th year. Beloved husband of Eunice Baumhour. Loving father of Denise (Mrs. Glen Wodzak) of Palmer Rapids. Fondly remembered by his grandchildren Charlotte, Adam, Miranda and Sarah. Dear brother of Doug Peters of Iron Bridge, Kathleen Townsend of Harcourt and Jean Whitten of Elmville. Predeceased by his grandson Willie and his brother Alan. Funeral arrangements are private. As expressions of sympathy donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME**, Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209.

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POLAK, ANNE – Peacefully at home in her 76th year on Sunday, May 12, 2002. Anne Polak, beloved wife of Mike, loving mother of Ray/Maureen, Sharon/Mike, Brian/Netta, Wendy/Ed, Lynda/Sam, Bill/Donna. Cherished Nana to Amanda, Brandon, Evan, Todd, Michael, Melissa, Meagan, Melanie, Jennifer, James, Laura and Carley. Predeceased by Parents Delbert and Francis McPhail and brothers Fred and Herbert. She will be greatly missed by her sister Ev and brothers Weldon and Cecil. Friends were received on Wednesday, May 15th, 5-9 p.m. at Chapel Ridge Funeral Home, 8911 Woodbine Ave. (south of 16th Ave., Markham). Funeral Service was at Chapel Ridge on Thursday, May 16th, 2002 at 11 a.m. Interment followed at Highland Memory Gardens.

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Changing times can also be sad times

As I looked out the window the other day and watched it snow I thought once again about how despite our best intentions, we cannot control major life events anymore than we can the weather. I thought about the difficult decision my husband and I have to make and wondered how many other people our age are faced with this decision: Is it time for residential care for an aging parent?

As the unwanted snow fell I thought about her sitting across the kitchen table from us the other day. Her head was bent over her plate and she was carefully but slowly eating the food set before

her. Her cup of tea sat to her right getting cold as she painfully swallowed the food. My husband, her son, gently asked her "Do you want me to cut your chicken pieces smaller?" She slowly raised her head, her glasses slipped down the bridge of her all too thin nose and she nodded yes. He looked lovingly upon her and saw the strong, firm handed mother of yesteryears and not the aging soul I see saw before us.

As I sat watching them I thought about some of the lines in a poem by Elizabeth Barret Browning. "How do I love thee? Let me count the ways. I love thee to the depth and breadth and height my soul can reach. I love thee with my childhood's faith. I love thee with the breath, smiles, tears, of all my life!"

She raised her head again and said, "I am determined, I will beat this cancer." A tear slipped down my husband's face as he listened to her feeble 88-year-old voice. Sometimes he can not always make out what she is saying - but this he did hear. He made a silly response and she smiled. Her faint smile brought such joy to both our hearts.

As the snow continued to accumulate on the lawn, I thought about other things, which have taken place lately, which gave me that same special feeling of joy. One such occasion was at the "Harcourt Rock Into Spring" Dance held on April 12th. There were plenty of smiles and laughter from the 138 pre-teens who attended this function. Then again on May 8th we had young people filled with enthusiasm who willingly came to the Harcourt Centre to pitch-in and clean up the Harcourt community.

A special thanks to Morgan Gadway, Justin Donaldson, Kristy Smith, Gavin Swan, Skylar Lewis, Caitlyn Clancy, Emina McNeil, Sean Baumhour, Ryan Baumhour, Andy Doanldson, Aaron Donaldson, Steve Smith, Sarah Cachia, Alyssa London, Will

Bose, and Mike Clancy who cleaned up our neighbourhood. One of the most unusual items was found by Aaron Donaldson – a beaver skull. Some of the older children used this time toward their volunteer hours they needed for school. All children received a certificate for their involvement and the younger children received a garden turtle ornament from myself to remind

them that earth is our living room and we need to keep it clean in order that animals such as turtles may survive.

Thank you to adult participants Ed Otto and wife Gwen who barbecued hot dogs for our Pitch-In helpers and Lisa

Lewis, Cindy Baumhour and husband James who gathered up debris as well.

Thanks also to Pitch-In Canada for the free litter collection bags. Great job!

In our schools we have had a lot of great things going on. Book Fairs, Open Houses, Jump Rope for Heart and so much more. A big thank you to all the teachers and volunteers who put in hours to make these things happen.

Good News: Harcourt's South Algonquin CookHouse expects to resume usual hours very soon. I hear the Mother's Day dinner was scrump delicious and the Cookhouse has some new plans in store for the upcoming summer season. Late supper group with music sounds inviting to me. I, for one, am looking forward to this.

On April 28th the first meeting of the Harcourt Centennial Committee took place. Many great and exciting things were discussed for Harcourt's 100th Birthday, which will be celebrated July 12, 2003.

Things and information which would be most welcomed would be old photos we may be able to copy, old newspaper articles on Harcourt, Lumber King Baseball photos or baseball shirt, ideas for the celebration, information about Churches in Harcourt, Lumbering, Mining, Schools or Families of Harcourt. Please do not hesitate to contact me ~ Valerie Smith 448 3640.

On a sad note:

Sympathy is extended to the family of Elaine (Bamford) Holland who passed away April 27th in Edmonton, Alberta. Her very large family and many friends will sadly miss her.

Another community member has passed away. Clem Peters of Wilberforce passed away May 13th. Wife Eunice survives him. Clem was a member of Branch 624 Wilberforce Legion for over 40 years. He will be sadly missed by his family, friends and greatly missed at the Legion.

HHSS music groups have a great music festival season

Music groups at HHSS, supported by teachers Tom Regina, Melissa Stephens and Wayne Cooper, have had a great spring season. HHSS was represented at music festivals in Haliburton, Peterborough, Orillia and Bancroft.

The HHSS Choir received a scholarship from the Haliburton Highlands Music Festival and a Silver Standing from the Orillia Kiwanis with a mark of 84.

The Swing Band played well at the Haliburton Festival and was awarded First Place in their class at the North Hastings festival in Bancroft with a mark of 85. The band also has been awarded the Bank of Nova Scotia prize for highest mark for a secondary school jazz band.

The Concert Band received a scholarship from the Haliburton festival. The band was awarded First Place in North

Hastings with a mark of 87. They received the Bancroft Legion award for highest scoring secondary school band. Band members are looking forward to their last performance of the season at the Paramount Canada's Wonderland School Music Festival on June 11.

The Flute Choir received a scholarship from the Haliburton Festival. The group played in two classes in Peterborough, earning marks of 85 and 86; a Second Place and a First Place. At the Orillia festival the Flute Choir earned a Gold Rating with a mark of 89.

All of these groups will be performing at the HHSS Spring Concert on Wednesday, May 22nd at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. Admission is free but a voluntary donation will be taken at the door.

New walls preserve an old sanctuary



SHERYL LOUCKS/Echo

The deacon's board for West Guilford Baptist Church, Richard Henderson, Pastor Paul Benson, Drako Knezevic and Karl Upton, are more impressed by God's hand in the building of their new church than they are with their own handiwork.

SHERYL LOUCKS

Staff Reporter

THE NEW WEST GUILFORD Baptist Church building is debt free but the congregation is deeply indebted – to God. During an official opening and blessing ceremony on Sunday, Pastor Paul Benson told the congregation that despite parishioners on fixed income, problems in planning and numerous other hurdles, the \$250,000 building went up without the church being financially in debt.

"When I think of what God has done here, I am humbled," said Benson.

He admitted that what he thought would take decades to accomplish has been completed and paid for in two years.

In 1990, his father was pastor often to only two or three people at the church that grew to about 14 active members in 1992. This core group started phase one of the building project by erecting a basement hall with nursery, new kitchen, library space and hall.

The original church building was moved on top of the new addition.

Phase two began two years ago with the construction of a hall extending the width of the church, an addition on the back and a new foyer complete with offices and washrooms.

Newspapers dating back to 1906 found in the original back wall of the church were moved and plastered like wallpaper to the new back wall between the washrooms.

Benson is pleased about a prayer room at the back of the sanctuary that will also have internet connections. A control booth area has also been set up at the back of the church to control sound and record the service for internet webcasts and television recording.

The pastor explained he would like to see the service go out to shut-ins or those abroad via the internet and the technology can also be used to broadcast the service downstairs to the mothers in the nursery.

The church, founded in 1905, now has a laptop beside the pulpit with a huge screen beside a wooden cross on the wall. The computer is used to show powerpoint type presentations to show announcements, words to music, readings and visual aids for the sermon.

"I loved my little church. Now I feel like it's a big city church. But we'll get used to it," says Ruth Bain, who has been attending the church since 1938.

When she arrived as a bride to the church, 40 people was a big crowd. On Sunday there were 120 people but Bain also remembers the days of when it was just herself and a pastor. Her sister, Marg Bain, who has been attending since 1946, says at one point an official from Peterborough came, looked at the original building and suggested the congregation let it slide into Pine Lake.

"There was a decision made to close the church and I said you can close it but you'll still find me sitting on the steps at 9 a.m. on Sunday morning," says Marg Bain.

Almost unrecognizable from its predecessor, the new building has glowing white siding, a pristine interior designed to be flexible for future needs and smiling parishioners quick to give a hug, who were quite obviously thrilled to be there.

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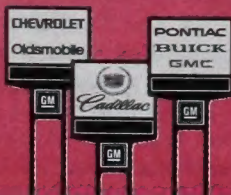
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